# Girls and Boys JV/Varsity Golf

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**Tryouts -** The COVID-19 pandemic has forced some changes to the structure and timing of tryouts, especially because the golf course is a public facility. While dates are TBD, the intent is for the girls and boys to tryout simultaneously the week of 8/10 (a second tryout later in the year may be held for the boys season). Tryouts typically consist of two 9-hole competitions at **Tustin Ranch Golf Club**, subject to availability of tee times. Cuts may be made as needed at any point during tryouts. Athletes trying out may be responsible for greens fees. JV and Varsity placement is normally determined at a later time among those who make the overall team and usually involves two 9-hole qualifiers.

## **Girls Golf** – Fall Season (Late August to Early November)

Tryouts: Mandatory Range Session - 6/18
@4:00pm

9-hole Tryout - 6/20 @4:30pm

Varsity Qualifiers: TBD

Boys Golf – Spring Season (Early March to May)

• Tryouts: October

Varsity Qualifiers: Late January

Note: Always check the Beckman Athletics site for additional/updated information.

#### FAQ

## • Is golf a cut sport?

• Yes. Space is limited on both JV and Varsity squads. Unfortunately we cannot open the team to all ability levels

## • How can my student athlete prepare for tryouts?

O Lessons, weekly practice, practice rounds, and junior tour events are the best preparation for trying out for the golf teams.

#### • What does it take to make the Varsity squad?

O Beckman competes in the highly competitive Pacific Coast League. A typical Varsity score will range from under par to under 40 for 9-holes. JV scores typically range from 40 to 45. One of the best ways to prepare for the competitive aspect is to participate in Southern California junior tournaments (AJGA, Toyota Tour Cup, Futures Tour, etc). Varsity players are expected to compete on a regular basis during the off-season.

## Where does Beckman typically practice/play?

O Practices for both levels are held on a daily basis (in season) at Tustin Ranch GC. Home match competitions for the Varsity squad are held at Tustin Ranch while JV matches are held at Riverview GC.

#### • Does Golf take the place of a PE class?

o If they make the team, yes. However certain mandated programs, such as the Freshman Fitness Testing, will still need to be completed. Additionally, team members are expected to document regular practice during the off-season.

## • Is there a Summer Camp?



O There are no mandatory camps or events. Athletes are instead encouraged to take lessons and compete in junior tournaments to develop competition experience.



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